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Subject: Some background documents on 404 assumption (for Joel and Mike)
Attachments: 404g Assumption 101 Basic Presentation.pptx; 404g1BluePrintFinal8-9-18.docx; 404(g) Options Selectin #1 Briefing Paper Final Draft updated.docx

Joel and Mike-

Per our discussion last week regarding your assistance with the 404(g) rule Economic Assessment, we're working on getting you access to our Sharepoint site. In the meantime, here are some background materials on the rulemaking.

Attached are the following:

- Basic 404 assumption power point slides
- Analytic blueprint for the rule
- Options selection briefing on the first set of issues (next options selection is currently scheduled for April 29).

Here also is the link to the FACA assumable waters subcommittee final report on a key issue being addressed in the rulemaking: what waters can the states and tribes assume, and which waters the Army Corps retains.

<https://www.epa.gov/cwa404g/nacept-assumable-waters-subcommittee-final-report-may-10-2017>

Last, here is a link to a 2012 study by the State of Virginia on the costs and benefits of assumption.

https://www.deq.virginia.gov/Portals/0/DEQ/LawsAndRegulations/GeneralAssemblyReports/404_Feasibility_Study_2012.pdf

I may send a few additional materials, but these should be good to get you started.

Thanks again for being willing to help!

Ruth Chemerys